

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF GLOBAL TELCOIN, INC. )  
TO OPERATE AS A RESELLER OF INTER- )  
EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES) )  
AND OPERATOR SERVICES WITHIN THE )  
STATE OF KENTUCKY )

CASE NO. 90-396

O R D E R

On November 26, 1990, Global Telcoin, Inc. ("Global Telcoin") filed its application with the Commission seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide intrastate telecommunications service in Kentucky. Global Telcoin has been engaged in the business of manufacturing and providing customer-owned coin-operated telephones ("COCOTs"). Citing the Commission's prior decision wherein it had determined that COCOTs are not utilities and therefore not jurisdictional,<sup>1</sup> on April 15, 1991, the Commission held Global Telcoin's application in abeyance pending an investigation and review of the utility status of COCOTs.<sup>2</sup>

On October 7, 1991, the Commission issued an Order in Administrative Case No. 337 finding that all COCOT providers are

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<sup>1</sup> Administrative Case No. 293, An Inquiry Into Local Resale of Exchange Services by STS Providers and COCOT Providers.

<sup>2</sup> Administrative Case No. 337, The Investigation and Review of Customer-Owned, Coin-Operated Telephone Regulation.

utilities as defined by KRS 278.010. Additionally, COCOT providers furnishing toll service in Kentucky were ordered to file tariffs containing rates and conditions of service within 60 days from the date of that Order.

The Commission, having been otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. The application of Global Telcoin shall be dismissed without prejudice.

2. Global Telcoin shall file proposed tariffs containing all conditions of service and pursuant to the times specified in Administrative Case No. 337.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 8th day of November, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

  
Chairman

  
Vice Chairman

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Commissioner

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director